Consensus FY 2012 Budget Gap Analysis - August 20, 2010

Joint Fiscal Office and Finance & Management

_	in millions		
Revenue	Fiscal Year 2012	_	
July 2010 Revenue Projection	1,174.0		
Direct Apps Estimate	10.0		
Total Available Revenue	1,184.0		
Appropriations Estimate			
FY11 Base GF Approps	1,088.4		
Add back base ARRA funds	157.0	No ARRA funds are projected for FY 2012	
	1,245.4	, ,	
Baseline growth assumption	43.6	General budget pressures -caseload, utiliza	tion, energy etc
	1,288.9		
Adjustments > base %			
Other Growth	10.0	AHS additional pressure based on preliminary assessment of caseloads	
EF transfer restore	18.0	Makes up FY10 base reduction per legislative intent	
VSERS - cost growth	2.0	Estimated \$5m gross cost pressure growth - actual numbers available in October	
VSTRS - Retiree HC cost	3.0	Change in funding for retiree health care due to changes in fund accounting	
VSTRS - OPEB	1.3	Reserve Part D payment (like VSERS) for OPEB not to fund current ARC - Begins to address OPEB issue	
Tobacco settlement	6.0	Estimate of amount needed to maintain trust fund balance at FY11 level which is ~\$17m	
Unemployment Fund	6.0	First interest payment on UI loans - this may grow in out years	
26 year old HC coverage	1.0	Fed Health Care Reform requirement - Est of GF need to cover 26 yr olds in state employee HC system	
TF to public safety	2.3	GF needed to meet statutory requirement of reducing public safety Transportation funds	
	49.6		
Adjustments < base %			
Challenges for Change	(33.1)	Growth in savings from \$38m in FY11 to \$71m in FY12	
EFMAP	(15.0)	FY11 carryforward in Medicaid GCF for FY12 (this is from the \$13.5m allocation of EFMAP)	
	(48.1)		
Total Appropriations	1,290.4		
Transfer Estimates	,		Notes
Next Generation	4.79	Level funded to FY11	Property transfer tax runs at formula in FY12
Vermont Telecomm Authority	0.75	Base need for FY12	Higher Eduction funding at FY11 base amount only
,	5.54		Special Education Medicaid balance back to EF
Total Uses	1,296.0		Weatherization as dedicated
		-	Assumes on federal LIHEAP \$ only
Budget (Gap) / Surplus	(112.0)		Assumes no surplus/(deficit) from FY11